

STATE RESTS BECKER CASE

ACCUSED FORMER POLICEMAN
MAY TAKE STAND IN HIS
OWN DEFENSE.

MRS. "LEFTY" ON STAND

COMMONWEALTH HAS MANY
WITNESSES.

ALLEGED SLAYER CONFIDENT

Jurist Bars References to Bank Depo-
sits Made by Defendants—Jerome
May Be Quizzed.

New York, Oct. 17.—The state rested its case today in the trial of Police Lieutenant Charles Becker on the charge of instigating the murder of Herman Rosenthal, the gambler.

The case, for the defense, will begin tomorrow, when John W. Hart, of Becker's counsel, will make his opening address. If Becker has his way, Hart said, he will go on the stand in his own behalf. Whether his counsel will attempt to disprove him had not been determined tonight.

The defense has indicated it will endeavor to prove a clique of gamblers inspired the murder of Rosenthal, and that Becker is the victim of a conspiracy.

Jerome To Be Witness.

Former District Attorney Jerome will be one of a dozen or more witnesses the defense plans to call. Mr. Jerome is expected by Becker's counsel to break down the portion of the testimony of Jack Rose including an alleged telephone conversation with Becker, indicate by the state to show that Becker had guilty knowledge of the crime.

Sam Paul, whose gambling place was frequently raided by Becker, and other members of the gambling fraternity also are included among Becker's witnesses.

Becker Confident.

The accused police lieutenant expressed himself as confident of acquittal after adjournment had been taken on the announcement of District Attorney Whitman that the people's case was complete.

Becker was in a happy mood, for his counsel had just won a victory. This was when Justice Goff granted a motion by Mr. McIntyre that there be excluded all testimony tending to show that Becker had amassed a fortune in graft obtained from gamblers.

Bank Tellers Present.

District Attorney Whitman had thirteen bank tellers ready to swear that Becker had a number of bank accounts, but not one was allowed to testify. Justice Goff upheld Mr. McIntyre's argument that without proof that Rosenthal, the "boss," knew that Becker's bank account represented the proceeds of graft, the evidence could not show that they constituted a motive for the killing of Rosenthal.

Bribery Not Charged.

"Extortion and bribery are not charged in this indictment," declared Becker's attorney. "The charge is solely that of murder."

To introduce proof, the prosecution recalled to the stand Jack Rose, Becker's alleged collector of graft, but Justice Goff refused to permit him to be examined along this line.

Mrs. Rosenberg on Stand.

Mrs. Lillian Rosenberg, wife of "Lefty Louie," one of the four gunmen charged with the actual slaying of Rosenthal, furnished the defense with the sensations of today's proceedings, when she appeared as a state's witness.

Although denying any knowledge of her husband's whereabouts on the night of the murder, Mrs. Rosenberg told of the visit of Sam Schepps and Jack Rose to her home to ask the aid of her husband in getting Jack Zelig, the gang leader, out of jail.

Mrs. Rosenberg was one of a dozen witnesses put on the stand by the state today to close up some of the loose ends of its case, which has taken seven days to complete.

The only appearance of the four gunmen in the case, so far, has been when they were brought into court to be identified by witnesses. As the quartet are under indictment and will be tried apart from Becker it is not expected they will be called to the stand in this trial.

Telephone Operator First Witness.

John F. Carney, a telephone operator, was the first witness called by the state today.

Carney said that he was on duty the night of the Rosenthal murder. From a record of calls made that night he identified one, made at 2:57 a. m. July 30.

"What call was that?" asked Assistant District Attorney Moss.

To this question the witness was requested to withhold his answer for the defense to cross examine him to determine if his memory was really refreshed by the record of telephone calls, or whether he depended on the record solely.

"If it weren't for that record, you could not recall a single number on it, could you?" Mr. Hart asked.

Tells of Calls.

"I don't believe I could," Carney replied.

Mr. Hart sat down after objecting to further testimony from the witness.

"What connection did you make at 2:57 a. m.?" asked Mr. Moss.

"Audubon 6694."

"Did you disconnect the call afterwards?"

"Yes."

The number is that of Becker's house telephone and the time corresponds to that at which Jack Rose testified he telephoned to Becker apprising him that "the job had been done."

The next witness, Lucius Haywood, a

Mrs. "Lefty Louie" in Court



BALKAN STATES FIGHT TURKEY

WAR DECLARATIONS HAVE BEEN
MADE BY SERVIA AND
BULGARIA.

FIGHTING IS GENERAL

TURKS ALREADY BATTLED WITH
MONTENEGRAN STATE.

GREECE INVOLVED LATE TODAY

Troops Are Withdrawn from Immedi-
ate Vicinity of Greek Frontier.
Crows Parade Streets Cheering.

GREECE DECLARES WAR THIS MORNING

Athens, Oct. 18.—2:30 a. m.—Greece, not wishing to detach herself from her allies, sent instructions early this morning to her minister at Constantinople to communicate a declaration of war to the porte. Greece at the same time sent a fraternal greeting to the allied states.

Greece was the first of the three states to declare war last night. Bulgaria followed with a similar declaration.

Belgrade, Oct. 17.—War against Turkey was formally declared tonight by the Servian government. The declaration was transmitted to the Servian minister at Constantinople this afternoon with instructions to present it to the port tomorrow.

The great powers also will receive notification tomorrow of Servia's declaration.

Immense crowds paraded the streets singing and cheering after the announcement of Servia's determination to fight. The crowds are increasing hourly and an enthusiastic war spirit prevails.

War Now General.

London, Oct. 17.—War today became general through the Balkan peninsula. Turkey, already engaged in fighting Montenegro, this morning issued a formal declaration of hostilities against Servia and Bulgaria.

Greece, supposed to be in sympathy with Servia and Bulgaria, was not mentioned in the declaration. The Greek minister has not been asked to leave Turkey. The Turkish minister left Athens.

Greece Not Blamed.

In the declaration of war, Turkey placed the blame on Bulgaria and Servia. Although Servia had anticipated the Balkan states and ordered a simultaneous advance of her armies against Bulgaria and Servia, it is expected that the Servians and Bulgarians will be ready to meet the Turkish invading force by the time it reaches the frontier.

Turkey's withdrawal of her troops from the immediate vicinity of the Greek frontier and the omission of Greece from the declaration of war were doubtless dictated by Klimis Pasha, president of the council of state, and the real Turkish government.

He wants to avoid a fight with Greece, whose interests, as he recently told the Greek premier, are identical with those of Turkey. He also desired to cede the island of Crete to Greece.

Ward to Be Blessed.

Sofia, Bulgaria, Oct. 17.—King Ferdinand is on his way to the headquarters of the Bulgarian army, near the Turkish frontier. The king's manifesto to the people, proclaiming war, will be published tomorrow.

A special service will be held in the cathedral, when the archbishop will invoke a blessing on the holy war on which the country is embarking.

Tambov has a large American colony and near there a great many Americans are engaged in farming.

AUGUSTA STRIKE ENDS.

Street Railway Men Accept Conces-
sions Granted by Company.

Augusta, Ga., Oct. 17.—The street railway strike, which had been led up in the city for more than a month and resulted in the death of three citizens, was ended tonight when the striking employees accepted the concessions granted by the company.

It was announced that the state troops would be withdrawn and that all strike breakers would be dismissed tomorrow night.

MAN KILLS SELF IN OFFICE

Andrew Marshall, 76, Prominent, Uses
Revolver to End Life.

Nashville, Tenn., Oct. 17.—Andrew Marshall, aged 76, an officer of a widely known printing company, shot and killed himself with a revolver today shortly before 1 o'clock at his place of business.

The family of the suicide is among the most prominent in Nashville. No cause for the deed is known.

LOCAL TEMPERATURE.

Daily temperatures furnished by the Block's voluntary weather observer for twenty-four hours ending Thursday at 7 p. m.: Minimum 62, maximum 55, barometer 29.32, relative humidity 98. Rainfall 5.25.

Weather Forecast.

Washington, Oct. 17.—East Tex-
as—Fair Friday, except local rains in extreme east portion; Saturday

West Texas—Fair Friday; Sat-
urday fair, colder in extreme north
portion.

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MAY LEAVE HOSPITAL SOON

Doctors Believe Ex-President May Go
Home Early Next Week—Taddy
Replies to Bryan.

Chicago, Oct. 17.—Throughout a day of unbroken calm, Colonel Roosevelt lay in his bed in Mercy Hospital with practically no indication of danger in his condition.

It was a day of waiting with the ever-present possibility of complications, but with lessened fears on the part of those who were watching over the wounded man. He seemed in his almost normal condition, but his physicians said he was by no means out of danger.

Colonel Roosevelt's physicians were discussing tonight the length of time it will be necessary for the colonel to remain in the hospital.

May Leave Hospital Next Week.

It was believed that it might be safe for him to leave for Oyster Bay on Monday or Tuesday, if all goes well, but not even a tentative decision was reached.

The clinical records were the most encouraging of any day since Colonel Roosevelt entered the hospital. During the morning the variation in temperature was limited to two-tenths of a degree and throughout the afternoon it was reported as normal. There virtually was no variation in pulse.

The period of possible development of blood poison, however, still continued, and the physicians said a change might occur within an hour at any time during the next day, they were more optimistic tonight as to the outcome than at any previous time.

Lockjaw Possible.

Possibility of tetanus, always to be reckoned with in the case of bullet wounds, has still to be considered, and as the period in which this might develop, the physicians said, is six or seven days. Colonel Roosevelt will not be regarded as entirely out of danger even should the next day pass with no signs of blood poisoning.

Scurvy L. Terrell said the colonel could not leave the hospital safely until the expiration of this period, and for that reason it was regarded as out of the question to consider the colonel's departure for Oyster Bay before early next week.

Mrs. Roosevelt Always Near.

All day Mrs. Roosevelt was at the bedside, and, although her husband festively complained he was the victim of machine rule, she said he must see no one with the exception of his family. Theodore Roosevelt, Jr., Elliott Roosevelt and Mrs. Longworth talked to their father from time to time, but even these family chats were limited to a few minutes on each occasion.

Twice during the day however, Mrs. Roosevelt made exceptions to her rule.

Mrs. Jane Addams of Hull House one of the most active workers for the Progressive cause, called at the hospital, and although her husband festively complained he was the victim of machine rule, she said he must see no one with the exception of his family.

Theodore Roosevelt, Jr., Elliott Roosevelt and the twins, Mrs. Roosevelt's children, were spending the first day of their lives in the hospital on Saturday morning. As there was no possibility of a conversation between Colonel Roosevelt and the twins, Mrs. Roosevelt admitted them for a moment.

Gets Four Speeches.

The governor made four speeches, ap-
peared before cheering throngs in nearly
dozen towns and closed the day with a
big street parade and meeting at Wil-
mington.

Urging Delaware to "join the process-
ion of progressive states," Governor
Wilson declared in his speeches that it
was "dangerous to block the progress of
reform in America" and that the "stand-
pat" dams which is the only thing that
holds back the popular forces, will pres-
ently break.

"I don't predict trouble in the United
States," he said. "I rejoice that America is singularly a self-possessed
nation. It is averse to making so
much violent disorder."

"I believe that part of the sadness we
now suffer from is because of that atrocious
assault upon Colonel Roosevelt."

"I feel that there is somebody in the
United States who would dare to interrupt
the orderly course of politics and the
public affairs of this country by the vio-
lence of his own hand. We deeply re-
sent it. We resent the thought that
there should be any citizen of the United
States that should raise his hand against
the peaceful, orderly, the just, the open
determination of public offices."

Says Teddy Work People Up.

"I came out to fulfill the engagements
of my thought is constantly of that
gallant gentleman lying in a hospital at
Chicago. Mr. Roosevelt did a vast deal
to wake the country up to the problems
that now have to be settled, and that he
might have been stayed in his attempts
to discuss the grievances of these ques-
tions by a hand of violence, is a thing
which every American must deeply dep-
lore and feel ashamed of."

"At the same time there are these
questions to be settled. That is the great
life of the country to go on and we can
not afford to have it go on without guid-
ance."

Campaign activities should not cease
because of Colonel Roosevelt's at-
tempted assassination. The following
statement was issued by Colonel
Roosevelt at Mercy hospital in answer
to what Mr. Bryan said yesterday
in his speech at Franklin, Ind. Con-
tinuing the colonel said:

"I wish to express my cordial agree-
ment with the many and proper state-
ment of Mr. Bryan at Franklin, Ind.,
when, in arguing for a continuance of
the discussion of the issues at stake
in the contest, he said:

"The issues of this campaign should
not be determined by the act of an
assassin. Neither Colonel Roosevelt
nor his friends could ask that the
discussion should be turned away from
the principles involved. If he is elect-
ed president it should be because of

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what he has done in the past and not what he proposes to do hereafter.'

Don't Ask It.

"I wish to point out, however, that neither I nor my friends have asked that the discussion be turned away from the principles involved. On the contrary, we demand that the discussion be carried on precisely as if I had not been shot. I shall be sorry if Mr. Wilson does not keep it to the stump and I feel that he owes it to himself and the American people to continue on the stump."

"I wish to make one more comment on Mr. Bryan's statement. It is of course perfectly true that in voting for me or against me, consideration must be paid to what I have done in the past and what I propose to do."

"But it seems to me far more important that consideration should be paid to what the progressive party proposes to do."

TEDDY REPLIES TO TAFT.

Colonel Roosevelt and Wife Each Telegram of Thanks.

Beverly, Mass., Oct. 17.—President Taft today received telegrams from Colonel Roosevelt, thanking him for the messages he sent from New York shortly after the colonel was wounded. The following dispatch was signed by Colonel Roosevelt:

"I appreciate your sympathetic inquiry and will thank you for it."

Mrs. Roosevelt wired:

"My family and I unite in thanks for your kind expression of sympathy."

MISSION AT ST. PAUL'S LO OPEN.

Archdeacon Webber and Rev. Webber Thompson Arrived Yesterday.

Archdeacon Webber of Boston, assisted by Rev. Webber Thompson, will this evening at St. Paul's Episcopal church, corner of Fifth and Columbus street, begin a mission which will continue until Oct. 27.

Archdeacon Webber and Mr. Thompson arrived yesterday. This morning at St. Paul's church, this being St. Luke's Day there will be a celebration of the Holy Communion at 10:30 o'clock. Rev. W. P. Witsell, rector of St. Paul's, will be the celebrant, and Archdeacon Webber will make an address.

Timpson Handicraft Burns.

Timpson, Oct. 17.—President Taft today received a telegram from the Timpson Handicraft factory, which was destroyed by fire last night. In less than ten minutes after the fire was discovered the entire building was in flames. The loss is estimated at about \$10,000. The cause of the fire is unknown.

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Mrs. Roosevelt retired shortly after 9 o'clock.

It was the first time since her arrival that she had left the patient during his waking hours. The colonel insisted she have a long sleep to "catch up" and was reassured by the reports of the physicians she at last consented. Miss Ethel Roosevelt left at the same time for her temporary home in the neighborhood. The colonel said he was not sleepy and after his wife and daughter left he propped up in bed to read.

Dr. Terrell Well-Known Texan.

Fort Worth, Oct. 17.—Dr. Scoury L. Terrell of Dallas, who is attending Colonel Roosevelt, is well known in Fort Worth. He is a relative by marriage, though the name is similar, to one of the Terrell families here. He

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WAYS FOR TEXAS HEAR
ADDRESSES.**

THE A. & M. DIRECTORS ARRIVE

**Exhibits Start Praise from Every Per-
son Visiting Grounds—Mothers'
Congress Holds Meeting.**

Dallas, Oct. 17.—Dallas Day proved the final triumph of the Texas spirit. With the rain beating on their faces, thousands of people crowded through the turnstiles Thursday morning and went laughing over the grounds, scorning such minor discomforts as wet weather produced. Nevertheless, there were not as many as on Sunday, when the day would have produced, of course. That's why President Eckford has called a meeting of the State Fair directors for 2:30 Thursday afternoon, when the proposition of another Dallas Day next week was taken up. President Eckford favors the plan, feeling that Dallas people should have one perfect day when they may revel in the amusements of the big exposition produces.

Good Roads Day.

Today is Good Roads Day and Mothers' Congress Day. Despite the drizzling rain, a number of staunch advocates of good roads in Texas met in Convention Hall No. 1 and carried out their program.

"This rain simply proves the value of good roads," said Judge E. O. Dunham, president of the state association. "When I left Waxahachie farmers were bringing in their produce over the good roads which bond issues have made possible."

In the tent a map shows that in 1912 26 bond issues for good roads have been voted in, many counties having only 14 having failed. As pointed out by Homer D. Wade in an address delivered Thursday morning, where the bond issues have been defeated a majority of the voters wanted them, the two-thirds provision defeating the issue.

Making Children Happy.

Probably no part of the big state exposition rivals in intense human interest than that shown by the Mothers' Congress. There one may find in strikingly realistic pictures the reasons why some children are happy and healthy while others must go through life burdened with diseases for which parents are to blame. The sinful father's crimes when he was sowing his wild oats and the follies of thoughtless mothers are shown with a faithfulness that is making this exhibition one of the really great educational features of the fair.

May Be Another Dallas Day.

"A meeting of the State Fair Directors has been called for Thursday afternoon," said President J. J. Eckford Thursday morning, "at which meeting the proposition of another Dallas Day during the fair will be taken up. I favor the plan. I want the Dallas people to have one day of perfect weather for seeing the many attractions here."

Noticeable among the visitors to the fair were a number from Victoria, Tex., this being Victoria Day. No program was carried out, the visitors contenting themselves with inspecting the multifarious exhibits.

A. and M. Directors.

The board of directors of the A. and M. College arrived in Dallas early Thursday afternoon. The exhibit is of vital importance to those sections of east, south and southwest Texas where the early spring is likely to be ushered in with sudden weather, following the cold snap. F. R. Phillips of the extension department of A. and M. College, is enthusiastic over the heating plan. He declares that tests made in California and south Texas show that the heaters when distributed 50 to 60 to the acre, raise the temperature from four to six degrees. He thinks 100 to the acre is the ideal gainer, these producing a raise in temperature of from five to eight degrees. Oil is used for heating purposes.

Makes Denial.

Scheps had not been permitted to say on his previous examination that he had said to Pettit that "I was very much devoted to Jack Rose and would do anything he asked me to do."

Scheps today answered in the affirmative the question asked if such were the case. He was allowed to deny that he said that Rosenthal ought to have been killed.

Corrects Questioner.

"Did Mr. Bergdolt say to you: 'Why did you kill Herman Rosenthal? He was a good fellow?'" asked Mr. Hart, reading the question from the record.

"No he said: 'Why did they kill Rosenthal?'" corrected Scheps.

Scheps was excused and Charles A. Seltz, cashier of the Franklin Savings bank was called. When he was asked how much money Becker had on deposit at the bank, Mr. McIntyre made a vigorous objection, declaring such evidence was irrelevant to the murder charge.

White counsel argued the point of law, Justice Goff excused the jury.

Mr. McIntyre said the introduction of the testimony may so prejudice the jury that the defendant may not be granted a fair trial. The court sustained the objection.

Rose Recalled.

Mr. Bentien was then excused and Jack Rose was recalled to the stand.

Mr. Moss explained to the court the witness testified on his previous examination that he was a collector for Becker and that he now wished to ask Rose what he had collected.

By oversight Mr. Moss explained, the question was not asked when Rose was on the stand before. Mr. McIntyre entered another objection and the court sustained him, but instructed Mr. Moss that he could ask the witness as to his business relations with the defendant. This did not satisfy Mr. Moss and Rose was excused.

The state here rested its case and Mr. McIntyre made the usual motion to have it not proved; that only alleged accomplices of the defendant had given their testimony with slight corroboration of the case dismissed on the ground that it and that such evidence was not competent to secure a conviction. This motion was denied and the case was adjourned until tomorrow.

He was certain the date was July 15.

Wife of "Lefty Louis" on Stand.

Lillian Rosenberg, wife of "Lefty Louis", one of the gunmen charged with the actual slaying of Rosenthal, was in the witness stand.

"Where was your husband on the night of the murder?" asked Mr. McIntyre, in cross examination.

"I don't know."

"Was he at the scene of the murder?"

"I don't know."

"What was he doing?"

"At home, he traveled."

Gummers in Court.

The gunmen were brought into the next witness identified as "Whitey Louis" and "Dago Frank" as the men who rented apartments from him under the name of Gordon some time after June 19.

Max Margolis, who described himself as a "typewriter" for newspapers testified next. He said he had known Becker for five months and was present at the so-called "fake" raid made by Becker on Rosenthal's gambling house.

Becker had asked him to enter the house and be ready to swear out affidavits he said, as to what he saw as evidence that Rosenthal was keeping a gambling house.

Wait With Raiders.

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COLQUITT IS UNIQUE

**SUGGESTS THAT THE MEXICAN
GOVERNMENT PAY FOR
KILLING WOLVES.**

In This Way the Robbs Could Get
Employment and Be Disbanded
from Present Warfare.

Austin, Oct. 17.—Governor Colquitt in a formal letter to Acting Secretary of State Huntington P. Wilson suggests the employment of a number of Mexicans in wolf extermination might put the idle to work and aid the revolutionary situation. The letter is written at the suggestion of the Mexican officials who desire that the governor of Texas suggest means to be employed in co-operating to destroy predatory animals.

The letter follows:

"I note your request that I make suggestions as to legislation by the Mexican states. In Texas, we have appropriated a large sum of money for killing or extinguishing predatory animals, but the sheep and cattle raisers of the section of Texas bordering on the Rio Grande complain that these wild animals cross that river into Texas from Mexico as rapidly as they are extinguished on this side of the river. It has been suggested to me that an appropriation of money by the Mexican state for the taking and destroying of these predatory wild animals might give to the dispossessed population employment, which would divert their minds and attention from revolution and robbery."

NO FEES WHEN NO SERVICE

**County Judge Not Entitled to Pay for
Perfunctory Signing of His
Name.**

Austin, Oct. 17.—In an opinion to

County Judge Rosser Thomas of Franklin County, Assistant Attorney General Funderburk holds that the county judge, under the provisions of the revised statutes of 1911, article 2550, is not entitled to the commission therin provided, of one half of one per cent of the cash receipts of each executor, administrator, and guardian upon the approval of the exhibits and the final settlement of the accounts of such executor, administrator or guardian in the case of an independent executor.

In the case of an independent executor, it requires that he should not be entitled to

to this big fee. "When the estate is not

administered in court, the county judge

is not merely charged with the duty of approving exhibits and accounts, but he has many duties and responsibilities in connection with the administration of the estate, which in my opinion the commission is allowed to be charged," writes Mr. Funderburk.

McLennan Escapes the Worm.

Austin, Oct. 17.—The reports of the state bookworm commission now indicate that bookworm infection is to be found in sixty-six counties in this state. The reports are based on work done by Dr. Stiles in 1911, on letters sent in by private physicians and by examinations made by the commission since its organization.

The counties listed as bookworm infected are:

Anderson, Angelina, Austin, Bastrop, Bee, Bexar, Bowie, Brazoria, Cass, Cherokee, Clay, Colorado, Comanche, Dallas, Denton, El Paso, Fannin, Freestone, Gillespie, Gregg, Grimes, Guadalupe, Hardin, Harris, Harrison, Henderson, Hill, Houston, Hunt, Jasper, Jefferson, Kaufman, Leon, Liberty, Limestone, Llano, Marion, Maverick, Milam, Montgomery, Nacogdoches, Navarro, Newton, Nueces, Orange, Panola, Polk, Rains, Red River, Robertson, Rusk, Sabine, San Jacinto, San Augustine, Shelby, Smith, Stephens, Tarrant, Titus, Trinity, Tyler, Upshur, Van Zandt, Walker, Waller, Wilson and Wichita.

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Three Persons Charged With Crime at Houston—One Pleads Guilty—Punishment to Be Severe.

Houston, Oct. 17.—Acting upon instructions from the department of justice, United States Attorney McDaniels, for the southern district of Texas, will continue his vigorous crusade against alleged white slaves.

Allegations are that this traffic has been particularly notorious between this city and New Orleans. Judge Burns stated this morning that several days would probably elapse before he passed sentence upon W. A. Martin, of Yonkers, N. Y., who entered a plea of guilty when arraigned for trial.

He was charged with inducing the wife of Thomas C. Fingar of that city to elope with him for immoral purposes. Martin was declared to have been an inmate of the Fingar home in Yonkers, when he disappeared with the wife of his friend.

Fingar took the trail and followed the couple to New Orleans, Galveston, and other points, finally locating them at a boarding house at La Porte on the bay shore in Harris county.

He secured a warrant and had Martin arrested. Later he became recalled to his wife and both of them appeared in government witnesses against Martin, who pleaded guilty on being arraigned after indictment on Friday the cases against Archie Bean and C. F. Keeney will be called for trial. The former is charged with bringing the wife of a man named Hewitt to Houston from New Orleans. Hewitt also followed the couple, it is charged, proving their undoing. Keeney is charged with aiding a young woman named Suga to reach this city from shreveport. The prominence of the parties named adds interest to the final result in all these cases.

U. S. CONSUL KILLS SELF.

Wm. Kitchens Shoots Himself With Revolver at Canary Islands.

Teneriffe, Canary Islands, Oct. 17.—William Kitchens, United States consul at Laguna, committed suicide last night by shooting himself with a revolver. He was a sufferer from chronic heart disease. He was Canadian by birth, but was naturalized in Buffalo in 1908. He was appointed to his post in Teneriffe on March 2, last year.

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In Woman's Sphere

BOTH PHONES 1000.

KATE FRIEND, Editor

CARDS FOR MRS. MOORE.

Mrs. W. W. Soley and Mrs. Harvey MacRitchie have issued invitations for Monday afternoon. In this, they compliment Mrs. Luke Moore Jr. with a card matinee.

MRS. GEORGE MCLENDON CALLS MINUET DANCERS

This evening at 8 o'clock those who will dance the Conolian minuet at the Cotton Palace are called for full rehearsal at the Philo club. Since the weather has reduced the number of rehearsals, the dancers are reminding prompt and regular attendance is imperative.

MRS. R. L. ARMSTRONG HAS REVIEW CLUB

For its first regular session Mrs. R. L. Armstrong opened her home to the Review club. The course on France was begun. No details developed other than the regular club session except that it was decided, after much discussion, to hold during the Cotton Palace season.

THE DOMESTIC SCIENCE WITH MRS. BOGESS

In entertaining the regular weekly meeting of the Domestic Science club, Mrs. Albert Bogess added no guests except her sister, Mrs. Elliott. Considering the weather, there was a large attendance. The chief business centered in arrangements for bread day at the Cotton Palace. The next hostess will be Mrs. Robert Dupree.

MRS. E. E. THOMPSON WORSE IS SINKING RAPIDLY

Several telegrams of alarming nature caused E. E. Thompson to leave for New York City. Mrs. Thompson has been there for treatment for several months, and Mr. Thompson was just returned from a visit to her. He brought encouraging news to the many friends here. So the change for the worse has come as a shock. Nothing was heard on Thursday, but the bulletins are anxiously awaited now.

CORDIAL HOME WELCOME EXTENDED MRS. LYONS

The return to the old home of Mrs. Lillian Parrott Lyons has signaled several social courtesies for her in rapid succession. Mrs. John Marshall had several friends for luncheon. Harold Shedd formed an extended special invitation for her Maids and Matrons club and other reminders of the girlhood here have come to Mrs. Lyons even within the few days since her arrival.

ST. PAUL'S MISSION BEGINS; SERVICES HELD TODAY

Saint Paul's parish director, and the entire city indirectly, should attend the services which begin today. Archdeacon Webber, one of the most forceful speakers ever in the city, will conduct the ten days' mission. He is ably assisted by Rector Witten and others connected with the parish. Men, women and children will all have special services. It is for the women to lend all possible influence both by their own attendance and in seeing that members of their family are present as often as possible.

COLONIAL BRIDGE PLAYS WITH MRS. RALPH TURNER

This season finds the Colonial Bridge club playing on Wednesday instead of Thursday as heretofore. The game of this week found Mrs. Ralph Turner hostess. The Madames Sheldon Sparks and J. W. Whitworth played the substitute hands. Mrs. Dancer for the high score, and Mrs. E. E. Drake for the consolation took the trophy. The next game will be played with one of the new members, Mrs. Fred Peck, of North Seventeenth street.

SAINT PAUL'S GUILD HOLDS ANNUAL ELECTION

With the regular Wednesday meeting of the present week, the annual election of officers for Saint Paul's guild was held. The result finds Mrs. Claude Johnson as president, Mrs. Forest Goodman vice president, Mrs. T. W. Robertson secretary, and Mrs. J. H. Barnard treasurer. The inclement weather prevented a full attendance, hence plans for winter work are yet indefinite. However, the Guild is in fine working body of women, so there is sufficient influence both by their own attendance and in seeing that members of their family are present as often as possible.

MAKES FACE YOUNG—TIGHTENS LOVE TIES

("Aurilla" in Woman's Sphere.) A freckled expression, a wrinkled face and a faded complexion, do more to drive the male members from home than is commonly supposed. It was one of my greatest difficulties to appear smiling, fresh and elegant when my dear ones were with me. But I have overcome all that. I have changed my mental attitude and I now find it second nature to look cheerful. Due to this, partly to a remarkable treatment recommended by a friend, my appearance has so improved I look fifteen years younger than before.

A simple face lotion made by dissolving an ounce of powdered saponite in a half-pint witch hazel, proved a wonderful wrinkle-chaser. I still use this occasionally. To renovate my complexion I purchased an ounce of ordinary mercurized wax at my druggist's and before using this up, a marvelous transformation had taken place. It was like removing an unsightly mask, revealing a new face, a youthful complexion of distinctive delicacy, clear, white and velvety. I merely applied the wax like cold cream before retiring, washing it off mornings. Ten days' treatment sufficed.

DR. TOOMIN'S REPORT READ BY THE WOMEN

There were many women to note with interest the report of City Health Physician Dr. Toomin. This shows that there is constant attention to the health condition of the city. Trash, dead animals and other menaces to health have been handled by the scores. While this is altogether commendable in the sanitary and health departments, it should be the care of the women that such burdens do not fall. The dead chickens need not be exposed in the alley until the cart arrives. Put into the range where coals are red hot, the consumption will be both sanitary and complete. The average trash can be carefully burned in the back yard. Leaves, paper and much of the refuse can be composted. The women can materially lighten the work of Dr. Toomin and his assistants. Their prompt attention in the home, much of the disease danger can be destroyed.

MR. AND MRS. N. SHUMATE HAVE DINNER FOR MRS. LYONS

As a formal home welcome to Mrs. Lillian Parrott Lyons, who is here for three weeks from San Francisco, Mr. and Mrs. Norman Shumate had a dinner party out at the Huson club on Thursday evening. The regular weekly dinner dance having been changed, Mrs. Shumate took this opportunity to have her guests enjoy the dance as the after piece in her hospitality. Mrs. Lyons brought with her a rare basket from California and this Mrs. Shumate utilized to make her centerpiece. Filled with the season's fruit, this gave not only the suggestion of autumn in its harvest of plenty, but to the nearing Thanksgiving tide. The same autumn suggestion ran through the place cards and other table touches. The guest list was made from among those whom the hostess thought would enjoy the special evening with Mrs. Lyons, who is making her first visit to the old home for many a season. Those within the dinner circle were: Mrs. and Madame John Marshall, Charles Hamilton, Lee Cowan, Fred Green, William Edmund, Mackay Sparks of San Francisco, and Walter Gregg, with Mrs. Flora Cameron.

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Young Married Ladies Bridge and of the Domestic Science, without prominent in all social life, carries more than the usual need of good will and admiration. Her attractive personality has made her one of the prominent young women—nay, more—one of the popular young women of the city. Therefore the taking of her marriage vows and the beginning of life companionship to one of the most prominent young men of the city, can not pass as an occasion ordinary. Into the home of the aunt, Mrs. J. P. Sampson, the neighbors and the more intimate friends were welcomed at 5 o'clock. A personal friend of Dr. McCutchan, Rev. W. B. Andrews, was invited to speak the sacred words. The appearance of the two about whom such deep interest centered was signaled by Mrs. J. W. Hale, who sang to the piano of Mrs. Parks, a sister of the bride, from San Marcos. Always attractive, this bonny bride had enhanced her appearance by a becoming suit of gold. The glint of gold shone in the hat, and the bouquet of white buds with orchids beside the crown. The room was set with palms and foliage with rambelins and other blossoms in plenty. For the punch room, where the sister, Miss Lucy Reynolds, presided, the American Beauty was in state. It was a bridal bower fitting for her who caused its creation, yet a simple arrangement where taste rather than elaborate was used. Following the ceremony and the congratulations, Dr. and Mrs. McCutchan went off for their wedding journey. This is first to Chicago. Two weeks will mark the absence, and the return home will find apartments taken for the winter at the Hotel Metropole. They will also return to the prominent position in the social world which both hold, and to the many friends who are sincerely in their estimation of this union of heart and life.

Elbert Hubbard, who is to lecture at the Auditorium theater next Monday night, is a most remarkable personality. Meeting him on the street the natural impulse would be to turn and look at him again. And if manners did not overcome nature in that way, he would certainly keep looking at him and hours after when you thought of seeing him again you would say "I wonder who he was?" You will tell that he was a "kicker" against conventions, even if he did not say a word. His long back hair coming well down over his coat collar, would tell you that so was his Byronic neck arrangement—low collar and big black tie, "all loose and sort of floating around."

These very eccentricities become the man very well, and it is satisfactory to know that he entertains no delusions in regard to the theatre, because as he tells his large audiences frequently, he has never seen a genius—and he looks in the glass quite often. His face is poetic, but he also has the fineness of strength. His voice is deep, musical and well modulated. And as Oscar Myre says in his lecture at Dallas, "Every time he opens his mouth he says something worth while."

Elbert Hubbard says: "The Brotherhood of Man is an idea now fully appreciated in business. Commerce today stands for Mutuality, Reciprocity, Co-operation.

The America department store has taken up lost motion and given the people better goods at a lower price.

It has been the inevitable, because it is the greatest good to the greatest number. It has worked for economy and length of days. It means monism—or the one.

"Every purchaser must be pleased. A child who buys a spool of thread is given the same courteous attention as the shrewdest buyer. The customer is made to feel that he is at home; that he is with strong and intelligent friends; that his interests are safeguarded. This matter of faith between buyer and seller is a new thing in the world."

"Employees who plot and plan for private gain are swabbing the greased chute that leads to Limbus. Owners who run a business but to make money neither make money nor do they last."

"Merchants cannot make money on or out of people. The man who says must have the way for further sales. We make our money out of our friends for enemies will not deal with us."

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With the world's series passed into mystery, will Waco please remember the Cotton Palace?

With submarines at Salamis and aeroplanes at Marathon, it is clear that ancient Greece is getting up-to-date—New York Sun. With ex-presidents being shot in Milwaukee and six-shooters more plentiful in New York than in Texas, what's The Sun's present diagnosis for America?

The platform adopted by the Democratic state convention at Syracuse is a marvel of evasion, insincerity and humbug—New York Mail. Mails cannot breathe in Texas. When once their nostrils scent our air that moment they go broke! (Apologies to Mansfield.)

If the country exchanges are to be credited, the State Insurance Board at Austin is chief tire inflator for the insurance companies' rate automobile.

Who can sympathize with the English government graft investigation? Who can be interested in the same daily program for the United States? The right little, tight little Island has successfully covered its leaks so long that its American children are glad to export a little of the practice.

Cook's tours now include the Texan's cotton fields in the itinerary. And the housewife has gone to the kitchen. That cotton field will save the state from votes for women yet.

Glenn Curtis announces he has perfected a gyroscopic device which gives automatic stability to the flying machine. Glenn's invitation to take another spin will be accepted when he has perfected an attachment to his biplane resembling the spiral fire escape on a public school.

With no intention of hitting Mr. Taft again, it may be remarked that Charley, like charity, began at home.

To add to the horrors of the campaign, Secretary Knox is coming back from Japan—New York Telegram. Risking the chastisement that any daffy will richly deserves, we would ask if the election is put up to the house of representatives, can Philander?

If there is a special circle of Tophet reserved for those who muddy our ideals, the Bostonian who started the report that the author of "Casey Jones" is a college professor is scheduled for the bottom-most oven.

That Oklahoma editor who has started a God-less, heaven-less, hell-less, punishment-less and sense-less paper should remember that Bob Ingersoll is the one American who has never been successfully imitated and that Tom Paine had brains.

MOST UNKIND CUT.

"Comparisons," quoth Dogberry, "are odorous and vile"—a statement that the editor commands! And further admonition is embodied in the plea: "Kind Power, please protect us from our friends." But yesterday he struggled to be statesmanlike and bright—his paragraphs a credit to the sheet. He talked of advertising and of Wilson's manly stunt—a combination timely, live and mete. He dealt with Montenegro, the world's series and the schools; with Mexico, the women and their votes. Scarce a modern topic was neglected in his phrase and not a need was slighted in his notes. Yet in spite of all his effort, what reward now moves his rage—what treatment stirs his very honest wrath? In the uppermost corner of the editor's own page—

Stands this mean, nasty, ridiculously unnecessary announcement, headlining a mass of Austin comment and inviting scathing comparison with his own work:

EDUCATIONAL.

This is the most unkindest cut of all!

BLACK LISTING.

Putting aside for the time being the question of analogy between the situation that led to the enactment of the "blacklisting law" and the situation obtaining in the public schools of this city, as to the right reserved by the school board to annual teachers' contracts on two weeks' notice without assigning reason for the action, it is significant that the amendment clause of the contract is being discussed in the light of its bearing on public service.

Summarily to dismiss a public servant—and, surely, none is more distinctively a public servant than a school teacher—without making clear to her the reasons for the dismissal, is repugnant to every theory and every demand of capable, enlightened public service. Such a situation is, to be sure, not infrequent in these days where political patronage and personal friendship are the usual steps to public position; it is an indispensable part of the voter's spoils. Out of its injustice and incompetency grew the federal civil service; the criterion of successful examination being regarded as sufficient to entitle a man to retain his place during good behavior. Out of the hardship and injustice of the method, extended even to private employment by corporations—the unexplained dismissal, the "black list," remained the statutes prohibiting so harsh a practice.

Immediately the public inquires whether political methods shall be applied to the schools; whether the least trace of political or personal favoritism shall attach to teachers' employment. The great cry of the time is "keep the schools out of politics." When a teacher is required to qualify for place in the schools by obtaining the certificates issued by the state, she has passed a "civil service" examination, after a course of training, far superior to that demanded of federal employees. The school board, of course, must contract with teachers annually. That is a necessary and proper check on teaching service, and inseparable from the inability of an independent district trusteeship for its own contracts, where the board is constantly changing.

The world is thoroughly enmeshed with this Mexican muddle, but it has never censured Madero. The withdrawal of Porfirio Diaz removed all restraint; every "great" and emotional Mexican whose patriotism could be submerged by his love of titles and display has been plotting, and every "soldier" who desired a little explosive excitement has been patriotically at the service of the nation's internal foes. And yet Americans raise hands in outraged horror at the cry of intervention.

For the first time in modern history it would appear the famous utterance of Napoleon is locally disproved: "No man is indispensable—nor I, nor Caesar, nor Alexander. The world will go on!" That's alright for the world, but powerful tough on Mexico.

Ave Porfirio Diaz! A nation sick of trashy heroics salutes you!

Philadelphia North American rejoices that Mr. Roosevelt's "deliberately misrepresents," applied to W. Wilson, is longer and handsomer than the other form. W. Wilson is now giving the Colonel no chance to employ any form. It is a season of quiet and chivalry.

Nevertheless, the present clause snatches of the old "black list." The teacher has the right to know openly why she is deprived of the contract; why she is dismissed, in plain English. When her contract is annulled, obviously there was reason for the act.

That her employers should not be forced to give this reason is a wrench at the maintenance of disinterested and honest public service in the schools and antagonistic to the reward due such service. One's sense of justice rebels at the idea of putting a school teacher against the next legislature. We know of no one who is not disposed to give the next legislature a chance to make good, and certainly everybody will be glad to see it do so. There are some excellent men who will be in the next session and good things are expected of them. However, there is a tendency to withhold opinion until the new legislature shows what is to be done by the employees of a private or public corporation.

Is this the American way?

REVOLUTION 999.

While it is difficult to keep count with the "patriotic uprisings" in the history of the neighbor Republic, and absolutely outrageous to be expected to give an intelligent review of the four-eleven-forty-four political parties concerned in same, the best recollection is that revolution No. 999 must now be registered at Mexico City in the department of desperate doings.

Gen. Felix Diaz has entered Vera Cruz at the head of 500 men. He is a nephew of the illustrious and long-time former president. Enlisting the army, the police corps and the marine corps at Vera Cruz are "viva la Republica" with Felix. He has captured a couple of government gunboats and seems to have made a soldier of fortune start. He dodged seventeen government secret service men at Vera Cruz, there being no Bill Burns in the country. Even the native newspapers "rumored his defection" in advance. And the seventeen secret service men watched. And Felix got the army, the police, the marine corps and a railroad pass to San Andreas Tuxtla, which was quite a saving, as they charge not only by the mile, but so much per wog for the name of your destination, in them parts. He is sojourning in San Andreas and gathering a larger army of vivas.

Felix's illustrious collateral relations will not arouse abroad any sympathy with Felix's new performance. His famed name may win for him a few hundred additional vivas as he marches on to such terrific bat-

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ties as have characterized the routine unpleasantness across the border for a score of years. His name, too, will awake poignant regrets that his iron uncle is not in the saddle; that the hand that guided—and checked—the nation so long is now idle in Spain. It is said that Mexico City takes this patriotic revolt—it has another name under the constitution and civilization of such nations as the United States and England—quite seriously. Senor Felix having something of a following in the army from which he lately resigned, and in the machine he built up while chief of police in the capital.

Since the advent of Madero, all the world has murmured regret that age laid heavy hand on Porfirio Diaz and, that, perforce, he left the country to its delirious devices. Here is a man of his name leaving the nation's service to add to the nation's shame and suffering. O tempora! O mores! Likewise O Taft! O Madero! Please finish Felix!

It was good of the intelligent F. Diaz to await the conclusion of the world's series; and not inconsiderate to relieve this country's attention from the Balkan barbecue. No thanks are due the Messrs. Orozco, as they undoubtedly are not conversant with the fact that the Balkans are battling, or that the map bears such a settlement as Montenegro. Mr. Aguilar, who also staggers under the title of "Gen." momentarily may join Felix. It presents a beautiful opportunity for the federales to dispose of two skyarks with the same brick. On to Vera Cruz!

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Now that James Hays Quarles has been made managing editor of the Waco Morning News, he will have a chance to demonstrate his oft-repeated boast that "I am the best newspaper man in Texas." James Hays was until recently secretary to the board of directors of the Agricultural and Mechanical college, with a good salary, but the smell of the paste pot had alluring fascination for him. If he can make a morning paper go in Waco he will have title to his claim as being the best newspaper man in Texas.

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With a set of red side-whiskers, Comptroller Lane would put it all over Professor Ozone of the funny papers. We trust this hirsute appendage will not become a fad, on this account—Four States Press.

Wonder whether this is inspired by the fact that Brother Lane lately availed a drink drouth on the "cracker" side of Texarkana. With Bowie county, Texas, dry, and Miller county, Arkansas, dry, what a skirmishing poor old Texarkana is put to for an occasional lunge into the immoral carousal beloved of Omar!

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This Democratic campaign in Texas will be memorable chiefly for two things: The women worked and the men, most of 'em, whistled. Mrs. Spell and her capable co-workers are a credit to this "banner Wilson state."

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NATIONAL CLUB START DISPUTE

PRESIDENT OF PHILADELPHIA TEAM CALLED UPON TO PROVE CHARGES.

ALLEGES UMPIRES ARE UNFAIR

Fogel Credited With Starting Rumor of Frameup for New York to Win This Year.

New York, Oct. 17.—Fermal charges against Horace Fogel, president of the Philadelphia National league club, based on his alleged assertions that umpires had favored the New York club, and that this year's race had been fixed for that club to win, were ordered drawn at a special meeting here today of the National League of Baseball Clubs.

Mr. Fogel will be given an opportunity to substantiate statements published over his signature, accusing certain umpires of unfairness.

The charges also will include statements which President Fogel is alleged to have made at the Philadelphia baseball park in the last series played there with the New York team; an accusation alleged to have been made that the manager of the St. Louis club weakened his team by playing substitutes so the New Yorks could win; and charges made by William Brennan, an umpire, whose fairness was said to have been impugned by Mr. Fogel.

Lynch Expresses Views.

"If he can prove that the National league race was crooked this year and that the umpires or the presidents of the National league were parties to it," said President Lynch in a statement at the meeting, "then the umpires should be discharged and blacklisted from ever taking part in organized ball, and the president of the league should step down and out of his position in disgrace."

"On the other hand, if these charges cannot be proved, then it is up to the National league to pass legislation preventing this man from representing any league club in any capacity. I respectfully place this before you gentlemen and ask your wish as to procedure in this case."

John A. Heyder, secretary of the league, was directed to present the charges to President Fogel within five days and Mr. Fogel was given five days additional to draw up his answer. The league will meet here Tuesday, Nov. 26, to hear Mr. Fogel's defense and take action in this matter.

Thomas J. Lynch, president of the league, presided at today's meeting.

After a long discussion as the procedure to be followed, it was decided that the charges against Mr. Fogel be formulated and he be given a hearing on November 26.

Umpires William F. Brennan, Charles Rigler, William Klem and Al Orth were all in attendance at today's meeting, but were not called upon to testify.

FANS CELEBRATE IN BOSTON.

Red Sox and Followers Open Fenway Hall for Celebration.

Boston, Oct. 17.—The city consented today to open Fenway hall for a public demonstration by the baseball fans in honor of the winning of the world championship.

The Red Sox team was ordered to assemble at Fenway park grounds at noon and, headed by a band, parade down to Fenway hall. The program of exercises at the hall included speeches by the mayor, and other city and state officials and prominent fans.

Thirteen hundred and two bales of cotton have been marketed in Mason, as compared with 500 bales at the same date last year. About seven-eighths of the crop is sold.

RED SOX CELEBRATE

MARCH THROUGH STREETS AS THOUSANDS OF ADMIRERS CHEER LUSTILY.

Mayor of Boston Lauds Them as the "Greatest Nine Ever"—Scatter for the Winter.

Boston, Oct. 17.—A triumphant march through crowded streets and a mass meeting of congratulation in Fenway Hall closed for the season today the activities of the Red Sox, the new world's champions as a baseball team.

After they had been lauded as the "greatest nine ever" by Mayor Fitzgerald and the sentiments had been applauded by several thousand fans, the players dispersed to meet again as an organization until next year.

Hunting trips are included in the immediate plans of nearly all of the members of the team. "Bill" Carrigan will entertain a small party at his Maline hunting camp.

Within a few days the players will receive checks for their individual share of the world's series receipts. They will get more than \$4,000 each, a greater sum than the salary of many of them.

BLACK PRIZE FIGHTER QUIZED

Jack Johnson Questioned About Disappearance of Girl, 19, Who Worked for Him in Cafe.

Chicago, Oct. 17.—For over an hour today the police questioned Jack Johnson, the negro pugilist, regarding the whereabouts of Lucile Cameron, 19 years old, for whom the girl's mother, Mrs. F. Cameron-Falconette, of Minneapolis, had asked the police to search.

The pugilist admitted the girl had been employed in his cafe as cashier, but refused to tell her present address, although he said he knew where she was. He pleaded that Miss Cameron was anxious to avoid further notation of the recent suicide of his wife, Miss Cameron, he said, had been a companion to his wife. "The girl left my employ recently to seek other employment," said Johnson.

The pugilist denied he has the young woman in hiding.

Johnson appeared before Chief of Police McSweeney. He said that Mrs. Falconette had communicated with him and told him to "pay any attention to her daughter." Johnson said he assured her "there was no cause for her to worry."

White Girl's Mother Tells Story.

Lucile Cameron, the 17-year-old white girl daughter of Mrs. Cameron-Falconette of Minneapolis, whose relations with Jack Johnson, the negro heavy weight pugilist, were explained today to Chief of Police McSweeney by the prize fighter was taken into custody tonight after she had refused to leave her companion in Chicago and accompany her mother to Minneapolis.

"I cannot go back and I don't want to go back to Minneapolis," she told Police Captain Noebar. "I expect to become the wife of Mr. Johnson, shortly, although he has not proposed marriage in Chicago," declared the girl.

At this announcement Mrs. Falconette became hysterical.

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"I have two games for today, but only one pitcher. I'll give you \$1 and expense to come and pitch the afternoon game."

"That was the answer, 'but make it \$1.50 and I'll go.'

That was the first game Bedient ever pitched for money and he won. Later he broke the record for strike outs, pitching a game of twenty-two innings at Cory in which twenty-four batters were struck out.

Betting in Indiana Barred.

Chicago, Oct. 17.—I shall not permit betting in Indiana. If the officials fail to carry out my instructions, I shall displace them."

This is Governor Marshall's declaration today after hearing of betting at the opening of the race track at Porter, Ind., yesterday.

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Rain at Blooming Grove.

Blooming Grove, Oct. 17.—A good, steady rain has been falling all day up to 6 o'clock, and still raining. It is the first rain to amount to anything since July 1.

CHICAGO WHITE SOX WIN

Mattick's Three-Base Hit in Ninth With Bases Full Saves His Team from Defeat.

Chicago, Oct. 17.—"Chick" Mattick of the Chicago American league today kept his club in the running for the city championship by driving out a triple with the bases full in the ninth inning. When he scored a moment later on an out, he brought defeat to the local National leagues by a score of 8 to 5. The spectacular finish was in keeping with the rest of the game. Zimmerman's hitting was responsible for the Cub's tallies. His sacrifice bunt Miller hit in the first; his home run brought himself and Tinker home in the fourth and his double drove in the eighth after Miller's triple had sent Good home.

For the Sox a wild pitch, followed by Schalk's single sent Borton across the plate in the second. Then in the sixth Collins and Weaver were infected by Zimmerman's habits and each hit a home run. Borton having doubled, between these exploits.

The ninth inning started with the "Cubs" leading, but Richie was wild and two passes and a hit filled the bases. Lavender went in cold and Mattick's hit followed.

The Score: R. H. E. Americans 0 10 0 6 0 6 0 5 0 6 National 100 200 0 20 5 0 6 Lange, Walsh and Schalk: Cheney, Richie, Lavender and Archer.

TO PLAY WITH TRINITY.

A. & M. Has a Game Saturday, and Is Getting Ready for It.

College Station, Oct. 17.—The second football game of the season for A. & M. College will be played here Saturday when the Farmers meet the eleven from Trinity University. Wet weather has interfered somewhat with the practice this week but the men have kept in condition by running signals and practicing formations in the gymnasium when the rain prevented outdoor work. Coach Moran is delighted over the big score his men piled up against Daniel Baker last Saturday. Several of the new men on the squad did stellar work among them being McArthur at halfback, A. R. Miller at guard, and Montgomery at end.

While the Farmers are confident of victory tomorrow, word comes from Wauhachoo that Coach Day is developing a fast team and expects to spring a surprise on Moran's huskies. The first big contest of the season for A. & M. comes on October 21 when the Ducks fall when the team meets the eleven from the University of Kansas. The game is one of the heaviest on the schedule and will undoubtedly be hard fought. Moran expects to have his men in the best of condition, and a great variety of plays worked out to perfection. The cadets a thousand strong expect to go on special trains to witness the contest.

FOR TEXAS-OKLAHOMA GAME

Big Preparations Are Being Made in Dallas—Rivals Are to Meet Saturday.

Dallas, Oct. 17.—The football game between Texas and Oklahoma Universities, to be played next Saturday at Gaston park, will practically determine the championship of the southwest on the gridiron. For years past the Oklahoma boys have had the leading team of the south, and it is reported this season that they are even stronger than ever.

The Oklahoma team has an advantage over Texas this season in that most of her last year's team has returned to fight for her this season. Texas, however, has eight of her old men back, and her prospects for a victory seem very bright. Alderice has been reserving all of his strength for the Oklahoma game, which is by far the most important on the Longhorns' schedule.

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MANY TELL OF RIOTS

WITNESSES RELATE SCENE AT GRABOW WHEN MEN WERE KILLED.

Much Testimony Is Directed Against Emerson, President of Brotherhood of Timber Workers.

Lake Charles, La., Oct. 17.—Witnesses for the state in the Grabow labor riot case today testified that the first shot in the riot was fired from the crowd that surrounded the wagon wherein President Emerson stood while making his labor speech in front of the Galloway mill, she said.

Testimony also was secured by way of corroborating witnesses yesterday that the first shot in the riot was fired from the crowd that surrounded the wagon wherein President Emerson stood while making his labor speech in front of the Galloway mill, she said.

W. L. Hickman, who testified that Edward Ezell, one of the defendants was the man who wounded him in the riot, was not shaken in his story under cross-examination.

George Henry Blackman, who said he saw the battle begin, testified that men around Emerson's wagon were armed with rifles, shotguns and pistols and that the first shot came from within five feet of the wagon. He said he saw Ezell shoot and at the same time saw Martin drop dead. He found Hickman, he testified, lying on the ground wounded. He did not see Chatman standing by Ezell.

Mrs. C. P. Davis, a boarding house keeper, testified that from her gallery she saw the crowd of men arrive from Carson and that nearly all of them were armed. She said, moreover, she said, when the shooting began.

Mrs. Emma Smith, after corroborating the testimony that the first shot had been fired from near Emerson's wagon, testified that one man standing up in the wagon had a gun and that he said, "We are going to close this mill." When somebody from the crowd asked him "How?" the witness testified that he replied, "With the muzzle of this gun." She testified that the shooting then began.

LEGISLATORS TO BANQUET.

Will Be Guests of Dallas Business Men This Evening.

Dallas, Oct. 17.—Members of Texas law making bodies will be guests of Dallas county's legislators and of Dallas business men and of the Texas State fair Friday, October 18, a special day having been set aside by the state fair management for these visitors. At night a banquet will take place at the Oriental hotel during the day's entertainment. At this banquet Hon.



Elbert Hubbard

AT THE AUDITORIUM

Monday Night, October the 21st

This life is full of gladness, and mayhap it is the gateway to another; and to live well here is surely the best preparation for a life to come. God is good and we are not afraid.—Elbert Hubbard.

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By right thinking does the race grow . . . The man that endures is the man that wins . . . To be deceived by a man is not so bad as to distrust him . . . To repeat an untruth is just as bad as to invent a lie . . . All there is of life is do our work (which is only play) as well as we can and be kind . . . If there is any better way to teach virtue than to practice it, I do not know it.—Elbert Hubbard. Speak today what you think is true, and contradict it all tomorrow if necessary.—Elbert Hubbard.

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If there is any living writer who deals with life with the same courage, faith and hope that Elbert Hubbard reveals, we do not remember his name. Hubbard is a teacher of the people who teach. He supplies texts for many sermons—where his name is never mentioned; he suggests thoughts for editorial writers and gives to many an essayist his needed initial impulse. Hubbard's influence is strongest among people who play big parts upon life's stage.

THE PEOPLE OF AMERICA'S FOREMOST CITIES CROWD THEIR THEATERS AND PUBLIC LECTURE HALLS TO HEAR HUBBARD—HE IS TO APPEAR MONDAY NIGHT AT THE AUDITORIUM FOR THE FIRST TIME IN WACO—HIS SUBJECT HERE "THE ROMANCE OF BUSINESS," IS CONCEDED HIS CROWNING SUCCESS.

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Lawson So Declares When Testifying Before Campaign Fund Committee.

"DARKHORSE WAS INTERESTS PLAN"

Democrats Win, He Says

Declares Scheme to Deadlock Baltimore Convention Failed—Probers Hear a Protest.

Money Used Lavishly, Charged.

Washington, Oct. 17.—"The sinister system," formed a deep-laid plot to control the present presidential election, Thomas W. Lawson of Boston, told the senate campaign contributions committee today.

Mr. Lawson was chief to impress upon the committee that he knew, only in a "general way" of the alleged colossal scheme to nominate and elect a candidate "satisfactory to Wall street interests".

All of his testimony was on matters which he knew in a general way and in a heated conversation he earnestly informed the committee that the testimony of J. P. Morgan and other witnesses had been a joke.

Testifies "in a General Way."

Of the interests which Mr. Lawson knew, in a general way, was the defeat of Colonel Roosevelt at the Chicago convention, the nomination of President Taft and the injection of Colonel Roosevelt into the campaign as a third party candidate, to "split the Republican party" all this without the knowledge or consent of Colonel Roosevelt. Then Mr. Lawson knew in a general way, a mysterious fund of \$1,000,000 had been raised in Wall street to deadlock the Democratic convention at Baltimore, prevent the nomination of any candidates before the convention and to name a dark horse.

satisfactory to the "system" who was to be elected.

Scheme Fails, Lawson Says.

Mr. Lawson submitted this information to Mr. Bryan, said Mr. Lawson, "and as a result Mr. Wilson was nominated and the scheme failed."

Frank A. Munsey, who preceded Mr. Lawson argued at length with the committee against the publicity of campaign funds, declaring it was necessary that rich men contribute and that such publicity as the present investigation had enforced had "frozen up" the "pocket books" of the wealthy.

He outlined his own expenses in the Roosevelt pre-convention campaign fund, amounting to more than \$18,000 and told the committee that, compared to the amount he has reported to have contributed the real figures made him "look like a piker." He estimated the total expenditure of the Roosevelt pre-convention campaign at \$574,000.

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Before Mr. Lawson and Mr. Munsey took the stand, the committee heard James O. Murphy of Detroit, who declared that the recent primaries in the city were "rotten the worst we ever had." He charged that money was used lavishly, and that delegates were "bought like sheep."

George B. Cortelyou, chairman of the Republican campaign committee in 1904 was called. He gave the committee his recollection of the so-called Standard Oil contribution of \$100,000, which John D. Archbold testified he gave to the Roosevelt fund that year.

Mr. Cortelyou said that when President Roosevelt demanded that any Standard Oil money be returned he was told by C. N. Elles, the treasurer that no contribution had been received from the company.

Recalls Bliss' Words.

The witness said he had a vague recollection that Mr. Bliss said something to the effect that "no questions should be asked to individual contributions" and that after the election Mr. Bliss had said something to him about a contribution by H. H. Rogers of the Standard Oil company which he said may have been the Archbold money.

The committee went after Mr. Lawson's conspiracy story rather sharply and endeavored in vain to pin him down to a statement of his basis for the recital. He said he had private means of information.

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WACO IS SATISFIED

RAILROADS HAVE WITHDRAWN THE RATE FAVORING PEDDLER CARS.

Traffic Manager Dillard Advises the Commission That Protest Can Be Stricken From the Docket.

Railroad companies entering Waco, have, without an exception, withdrawn the 25-cent freight rate heretofore permitted, which has been objectionable to local jobbers and merchants, because it allowed the operation of peddler cars. The announcement of the withdrawn rate is accompanied also by the withdrawal of the "5,000 pound lot shipments," which also was one of the objections to the local men.

With the receipt of these announcements Traffic Manager Dillard of the Waco Freight Bureau, addressed a letter to the state railroad commission in which he asks for a withdrawal of the complaint filed by the freight bureau.

The complaint had been made to voice the Waco merchants' objections and the state commission had arranged for a hearing Oct. 22. There is no doubt that the suit will not be removed from the docket.

With the action of the railroads, Waco merchants have won their every contention and demand. One of the objections was in regard to the banana cars which, under the 25-cent freight rate, could be operated from station to station and sidetracked until the "travelling merchant" would unload his product. This now is prohibited, the three stops being permitted within a radius of seventy-five miles, and at the regular freight rate.

The fight to gain such a ruling has been a long one and has necessitated much time to accomplish.

PASSENGER MEN MAY GATHER.

Association Invited to Meet in Galveston Next September.

Members of the Transcontinental Passenger association, living in the West or South, are making an effort to bring the next quarterly meeting of that organization to Texas.

Already the Southwestern Passenger association and its sister organization, the Southeastern Passenger association, have decided to hold their next quarterly meeting in Galveston some time during September and it is hoped to bring the Transcontinental to the Gulf city at the same time.

The meeting of these three associations in Galveston at the same time probably would be the most notable gathering of traffic men ever held in the South. It will be the first time the Transcontinental has ever met in Texas and the second time in the South.

FRANCHISE FOR INTERURBAN.

Promoters of Houston-Lockhart Line Are Getting Bright-of-Way.

Lockhart, Oct. 17.—W. B. Dunlap, Beaumont; J. W. Crawford, E. W. Brown, Orange; J. W. Maxey, Houston, and J. M. Abbott, Sequin, representing the promoters of an interurban from Houston to Lockhart, Seguin, New Braunfels and San Antonio, appeared yesterday before the county commissioners and city council, and were granted a franchise for the route through Caldwell county and this city.

Work will begin at once. Power will be supplied by a series of dams from the Guadalupe river between Seguin and New Braunfels that authority being granted by the last legislature.

St. Louis Southwestern Railway.

All trains arrive and depart at the union station, corner of Fourth and Mary streets. T. J. Shields, city ticket agent, 112 South Fourth street.

Northbound.

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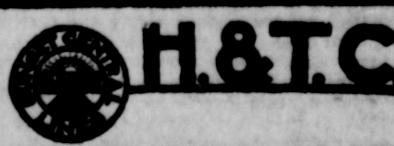
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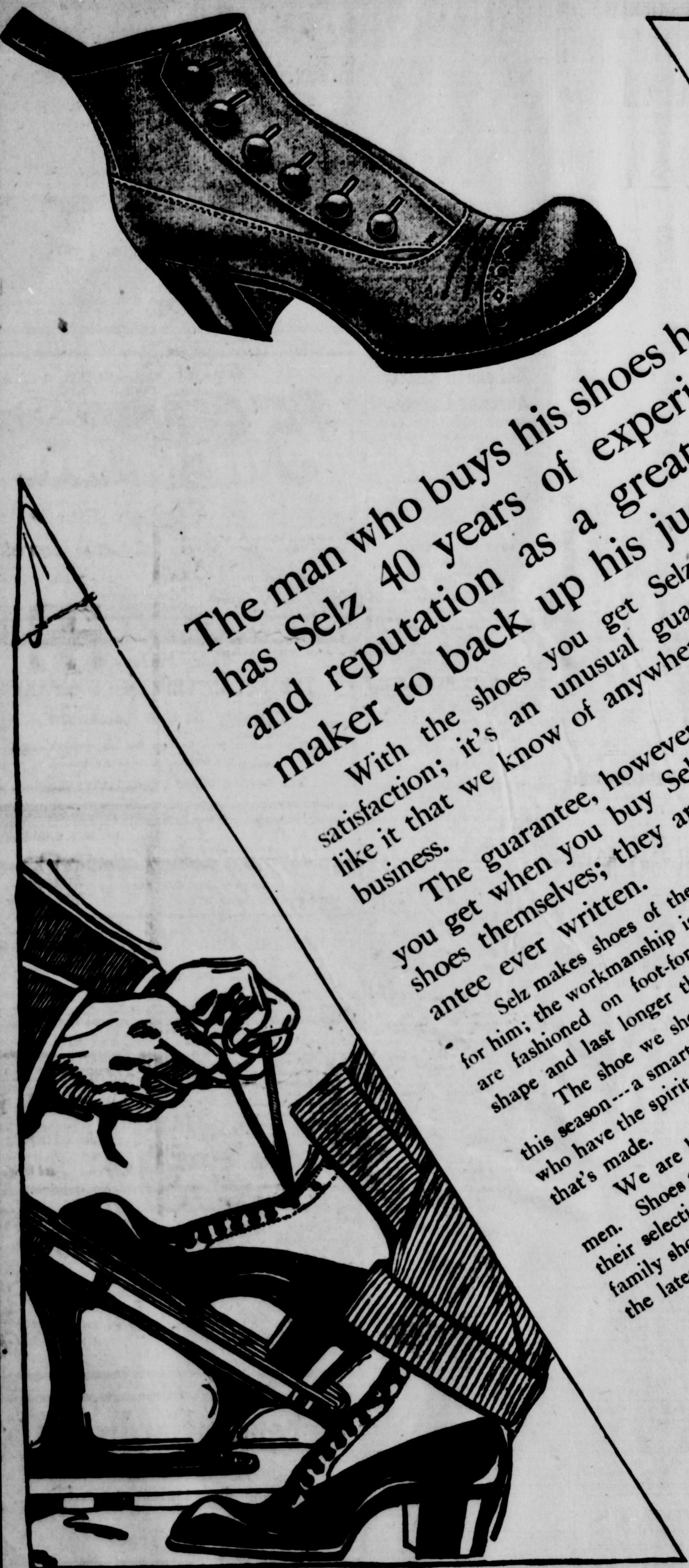
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COTTON GOES HIGHER

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"PLOT" DEFENSE OUTLINES PATH

SHARP ADVANCE AT OPENING IS SOMEWHAT LOWERED BEFORE THE CLOSE.

Initial Deals Firm, South Being Heavy Seller—Weather Map Shows More Favorable Conditions.

New York, Oct. 17.—There was quite a sharp advance in cotton early today, but the market soon yielded to continued southern selling and while the close was very steady, last price was not two points lower four points higher. The opening was firm at an advance of 8 to 12 points on unexpected firmness.

January contracts touched 1050 right after the call, but the south was a heavy seller on this advance, the weather map showed rather more favorable conditions in the south than had been anticipated and with the official forecast indicating warmer conditions in the east.

Prices soon turned easier. After settling back to practically the closing figures of yesterday a bullish report on eastern belt conditions, reports of heavy rains in Texas, light frost in North Carolina and Memphis advices indicating a more active spon demand, caused a bulge of five or six points.

This news, however, failed to attract any material broadening of outside demand and the market during the afternoon turned easier again under continued selling and liquidation by earlier buyers. December contracts held a point over yesterday's closing figures, but other months sold 2 and 3 points lower or back to nearly the lower level of the week.

Toward the close rumors that the National Glimmers' Association had issued a preliminary report, indicating 6,650,000 bales ginned to date against 7,755,000 last year, caused a slight rally with most of the active months closing a shade over the final figures of last night.

Range of Futures.

Cotton futures closed very steady. Open, High, Low, Close.

January 1.47 10.59 10.36 10.33 @ 45

February 1.48 9.49

March 10.67 10.63 10.56 10.60 @ 61

May 10.73 10.74 10.64 10.67 @ 68

June 10.76

July 10.79 10.79 10.71 10.74 @ 72

August 10.69 10.68 10.67 10.69 @ 72

September 10.66 10.62

October 10.12 10.14 10.11 10.22 @ 94

November 10.15 10.18 10.04 10.04 @ 66

December 10.39 10.49 10.31 10.34 @ 25

New Orleans.

New Orleans, Oct. 17.—Cotton futures opened steady at an advance of four to six points on good cables and continued rains in the western half of the cotton belt. While the weather outlook was more reassuring, so far as the tropical disturbance was concerned, the forecast called for unsettled and showery weather in the western part, which was taken to mean damage to open cotton.

Shorts were the best buyers in the early trading. At the end of the first half hour of business prices were five to seven points up.

Rumors that fighting was extending in the Balkans checked the advancing tendency around the middle of the morning and caused some little short selling. The market acted steady, but the market and not the time displaced much of any selling power. Reports from the western belt were unfavorable and indicated that the growing crop had received more or less damage through rain. This had the effect of restricting short offerings. At noon prices were unchanged to one point down, compared with the closing level of yesterday.

Range of Futures.

Cotton futures closed very steady, unchanged to one point down compared with yesterday's close.

Open, High, Low, Close.

October 10.59 10.80 10.78 10.75

November 10.69

December 10.71 10.72 10.63 10.67

January 10.74 10.75 10.65 10.69

March 10.90 10.91 10.81 10.84

May 11.02 11.02 10.92 10.96

July 11.15

Cash Quotations.

Chicago, Oct. 17.—Flour—Steady.

Rye—No. 2 69c.

Barley—Feed or mixing 48@51c, fair to choice malting 69@72c.

Timothy seed—\$0.64@66c.

Clover seed—\$1.05@13c.

Pork—\$17.50@17.62@.

Lard (in tunces)—\$1.75.

Ribs (goose)—\$10.50@11.25.

WAR INFLUENCE OF THE PAST FEW DAYS SEEMS TO HAVE WORN OUT.

DECLARATION BY TURKEY HAS A BIG INFLUENCE ON THE MARKET.

Copper Leads American Market, Making Advance—Bond Deals Are Dull and Heavy.

Market Strengthened Somewhat. However, By Reports from Turkey. Close Shows Decline.

Chicago, Oct. 17.—War news were out today as a market influence despite the fact that there was a fighting between five countries.

Against the outcome was a decline of 1% to 2%.

Corn finished unchanged to +9@10c, oats off 4@10c, and provisions varying from the same as last night to 2@10c below.

Although the widening out of the struggle with Turkey led to some display of wheat strength, there was not enough buying to sustain the weight of hedging sales due to spring crop receipts northwest. Mexican and European markets turned lighter. The market was also depressed by speculators who were busy closing trades between here and Minneapolis, selling December in Chicago. The final tone was steady.

Corn sagged owing to fine weather and longs were heavy sellers on hard spots. Argentine shipments promised to be six million bushels for the week, against none a year ago.

Corn grades were in poor request.

Liberal receipts pulled down oats, and there was no adequate shipping outlet.

Hogs were on the down grade and carried the provision market along. November lard was weak and suffering a net decline of 2@10c.

Cash grain: Wheat No. 2 red \$1.96@10c; No. 2 hard 92@94c; No. 1 northern 92@94c; No. 2 spring 90@91c; valence 91@92c; flour 91@92c; bread 85@91c; Corn: No. 2 64@65c; No. 2 white 64@65c; No. 2 yellow 64@65c; Oats: No. 2 32@33c; No. 2 white 34@35c; standard 33@34c.

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ESCAPING GAS CAUSES DEATH

BOY GOES TO SLEEP UNMINDFUL OF THE IMPURE AIR IN HIS ROOM.

HE IS DEAD WHEN FOUND

James Ellis, Son of Prominent Family at West, is Victim of Asphyxiation at Douglas School.

Gas, escaping from a jet in his room, resulted Wednesday night in the death of James Ellis, age 10, boarding pupil at the Douglas Select school, 908 Washington street, the body being found by Prof. S. A. Douglas early yesterday morning when his wife awakened him and told him she thought she smelled gas. The body was still warm, tucked under the covering and the boy looked as if he were asleep.

Young Ellis is the son of Mr. and Mrs. Tom Ellis, who live near West, to which place the body was sent at 2 o'clock yesterday after having been prepared for burial by the Compton Undertaking company. The father and mother came to Waco yesterday about noon and accompanied the body of their child home.

Gas heaters had just been placed in the rooms Wednesday, and Prof. Douglas had himself tested each of them. A leak, however, developed in the connection to the heater in the room of young Ellis, and despite the fact that his window was raised and the door to the bath room also connected with the room occupied by Mr. and Mrs. Douglas, the child was asphyxiated.

After the body was found, Prof. Douglas, first moving the bed to a distance, struck a match near the gas jet and an explosion followed. He removed the bed to prevent possible scorching.

The boy is thought to have died without a struggle, as his position when found was that of one sleeping. Justice of the Peace Richey Acosta, the remains yesterday and his verdict was that the boy came to his death by asphyxiation, the cause being accidental. The dead boy had a brother and sister who were graduates of the school and only about two weeks ago his brother Fred, age 17, left the school to return home.

The boy, according to Prof. Douglas, was one of the brightest and most popular in the school. He was a companionable little fellow and made friends right and left.

This is the first accident which has occurred in Mr. Douglas' school during his forty years' experience as a teacher. He has never even had a boy break a limb before.

DIES AT HIS ANVIL

FORTY YEARS IN THE SAME SHOP ON ELM STREET IN EAST WACO.

A. Lieber Expires Suddenly While at Blacksmith Work—Had Been in Good Humor All Morning.

While at work at his anvil in the same shop in which 40 years ago he began business as a blacksmith, A. Lieber, 62 years old, died suddenly at 10 o'clock yesterday morning in the building opposite the mouth of Dallas street, on Elm, in East Waco, heart failure being given as the cause.

All the morning the blacksmith had been in high good humor, laughing and jesting with the men about the place, and his death came as a distinct shock to his friends. Those present said that at the time he was aiming a blow at the iron, when he suddenly threw up his hands and fell to the ground dead.

His wife died in 1909. The body was removed to the home at 516 St. Charles street. The funeral will be held from East Waco Baptist church this afternoon, probably at 3 o'clock, but arrangements had not been definitely completed last night.

The dead man is survived by several children.

The following are the pall bearers: Active—R. G. Wright, J. W. Harrold, Sam Smith, M. E. Wilkins, W. J. Terrell and Dr. L. A. Langston.

Honorary—Dr. O. R. Halbert, Prof. J. T. Strain, J. R. Wright, Pat Hopkins, E. H. Clinton, William Reese, W. G. Thompson and J. S. Harrison.

Deaths and Burials

W. A. Long. W. A. Long, 87 years of age, died at Hewitt Wednesday night and the body after being prepared for burial by the Compton Undertaking company here, was sent to Burford for funeral and interment. Mr. Long was one of the pioneer farmers of this section.

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IN BANKRUPT COURT

T. H. KESSLER & CO., PLANING MILL PEOPLE, FILE A VOLUNTARY PETITION.

Assets Far in Excess of Liabilities. Joel Reno of Killeen and John A. Galbraith of Rogers Also.

Three voluntary petitions in bankruptcy were filed in the United States district court yesterday, one of the petitioners being a corporation. T. H. Kessler and company, which operates a planing mill on the corner of Seventh and May streets.

The Kessler company claims that its liabilities are \$56,206.60, with assets of \$55,699. The real estate of the company is listed as being worth \$35,000, the remainder of the assets being distributed miscellaneous, including plant, stock and funds due the company. The first meeting of creditors has been set for October 29.

Joel Reno of Killeen, Bell county, a merchant, also filed a petition in bankruptcy giving his liabilities as \$7,482.01 and his assets at \$1,840, claiming all of the latter to be exempt. John Alexander Galbraith of Rogers, Bell county, a merchant, gave his liabilities as \$3,913.97 and his assets as \$6,539.80, claiming exemption upon \$3,934.50 of the latter.

TO REFORM SCHOOL

THREE BOYS ARE TO HAVE THE TERM OF SENTENCE FIXED TODAY.

Mother's Plea Is Answered by Judge of the Juvenile Court With Words of Advice to the Lads.

Three boys, ranging in ages from 10 to 14 years, were convicted of theft in the county court yesterday and their terms of confinement in the reformatory at Gatesville will be fixed today by Judge Tom L. McCullough. They are Ira Palmer, Clyde Andrews and Duke Panielle.

Mrs. Andrews made a plea for her son before Judge McCullough. She is white-haired and fought back the tears that came to her eyes as she talked. Meantime her son beat his head and wept. The plea was in vain.

Duke Panielle was convicted of stealing samples from the back of the buggy driven by Mr. Reese, a salesman for the Rotan Grocery company. In this case Clyde Andrews, Ira Palmer and Owen Lawler were dismissed.

Ira Palmer and Clyde Andrews, in a second case, were convicted of stealing watches from B. Kaplan, a dealer on the square. Watches were found on them when they were arrested.

Responding to the plea of Mrs. Andrews that her son not be sent away from her, the court explained that he had been watching her son and the others for some time past and that he had personally done all he could to make them turn away from a life which will lead only to crime and become better boys. He said his efforts along this line had been a failure.

Judge McCullough further told her that he had never sent a boy to the reformatory until he had done all he could to check him in his wrong doing and until he had satisfied himself that the child had gotten beyond the control of his parents. While he felt sure Mrs. Andrews had done her best with her son, he felt equally sure that her son would not be controlled as long as he remained here, and believed that a period of rigid discipline and control at the reform school at Gatesville might be his salvation in the end. He said he acted for the good of the boy, not to punish him.

The judge also turned toward a boy whom he had dismissed in both cases and told him that he wished to give him a fair warning. That at present he was running with evil companions and the road he had followed, if continued, would surely lead him to the reform school or the penitentiary. He warned him to listen to the counsel of his parents and turn toward a better and manlier life. Should he come before the court again and be convicted, Judge McCullough said he would send him to the reformatory, as he intended to do with three of his companions.

TIME NOW TO GET TRANSFERS

Those Who Have Moved to New Precinct Must Adjust the Poll Tax Record.

Men who have moved from one precinct to another since the payment of their poll taxes, have yet time to secure a transfer of their registration before the general election to be held on November 5. So far, according to Tax Collector Davis, no transfers have been made at the local office.

The county tax collector's office will close the books October 31, after which time no further transfers will be issued. Those who, after that date have failed to secure their transfers, will not be allowed to vote.

News Want Ads bring results.

BARACA-PHILATHEA

TWENTY-SECOND ANNIVERSARY IS TO BE OBSERVED IN WACO NEXT SUNDAY.

General Program to Be Carried Out. Committee Is at Work—Ushers Are from Other Churches.

The Laraca and Philathea classes of the city of all churches and denominations will observe the twenty-second anniversary of the founding of the Baraca and Philathea movement in a mass meeting at the First Baptist church, Sunday afternoon, Oct. 26, at 3 o'clock.

The general program for this occasion will be rendered in every town where there are Baraca and Philathea classes in the United States and in foreign countries upon the same date, it having been arranged by a national committee, consisting of Miss Flossie Byrd, chairman, of North Carolina, Misses Henrietta Heron of Illinois and Karenne Waddell of North Carolina, Messrs. Fred C. Britton of Pennsylvania and C. J. Dugan of Texas. The main purpose of this program is to awaken a deeper interest among the young people in their local work by giving them a broader knowledge of the national movement, in setting out its history, its purposes and some of the specific phases of the work that it is now undertaking, chief of which is the erection of a Baraca-Philathea temple at Syracuse, N. Y., where young people will be trained to do special work. A freewill offering will be taken, which will be sent to Syracuse for the temple fund.

A prayer band encircling the globe will be observed Sunday, when the Baraca and Philathea all over the world, wherever they may be, will lift their hearts simultaneously in prayer asking God for a year of special opportunity and effort for bringing the Kingdom of earth through the Baraca and Philathea classes. All pastors of the city have been asked to make announcements of this program in their pulpits Sunday morning, and are especially urged to attend the meeting.

A local committee consisting of Messrs. H. F. Saunders, Jim Jenkins, G. W. Waldrop, H. L. Faulk, James P. Alexander and Mrs. H. F. Saunders, Misses Clara Bruyere and Ada B. Stagg, have arranged the program as follows:

1. Opening Service—Leader, C. J. Dugan, Baraca state secretary. Song, "Forward, Christian Soldiers." Leader calls for repetition in unison of national platform, motto and year text. Song: "Help Somebody Today."

2. Prayer Call standing, closing with the Lord's Prayer—W. W. Woodson. 3. Our Testimony to Father Hudson—James McKinney (5 minutes).

4. Trio, selected, by Misses Clara, Edith and Ruth Bruyere.

5. The Baraca-Philathea Temple, and What It Will Mean to Our Classes, by Miss Mamie Keith (4 minutes).

6. Birthday offering, collection to be taken by the ushers while all sing the Philathea National Hymn. Each one requested to bring as many pennies as he or she is old or a penny for each year the movement is old.

7. I. Chronicles 29:17 — Robert Wilson.

8. A Forward Look from Our Class Standpoint—James P. Alexander for Baraca and Miss Gladys Thornton for Philathea (5 minutes each) (An outline of some things the local classes expect to do during the year).

9. Upward Steps at Norfolk Convention: a. Secret Service; b. Junior Work; c. City Unions; d. State Organizations; e. Field Secretary—E. L. Purdon (5 minutes).

10. Quartette selected—Baraca of First Baptist church.

11. Five Minute Scripture Verse Shower. Calling for volunteer quotations of Bible verses containing the word joy—Mrs. C. H. Carringer.

12. Our Text Book, the Bible—J. D. Holcomb (4 minutes).

13. Song: "Take My Life and Let It Be."

14. National Benediction.

Mr. and Mrs. H. F. Saunders will have charge of the special music for the occasion and the following ushers have been appointed:

First Baptist church—Douglas Sonstig, Albert Lattimore.

Seventh and James streets Baptist—G. W. Waldrop, E. R. BonDurant.

East Waco Baptist—H. Knowles, H. L. Faulk.

Austin Avenue M. E.—Cleon Poole, N. E. Fletcher.

Clay street Baptist—Tom Wilkins, C. M. McElroy.

Clay street M. E.—S. E. Austin.

Central Presbyterian—Orris Moore, Don Fuller.

Morrow street M. E.—sca Hunter, John Appell.

Central Christian—T. E. Leach, Otis Hays.

Brook Avenue Baptist—Charles Craddock, Lloyd Ables.

Columbus street Baptist—Tom Watkins, T. Ray.

MAY RELAY SEWER PIPE

City Engineer Byars Is Having Entire Heights Line Inspected for Possible Leaks.

That the Providence Heights sewer system is in worse condition than it was at first believed to be, and that the city may be forced to relay some of the pipes placed by H. C. Gass, the contractor, was a statement made yesterday by City Engineer George T. Byars.

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Lot 4
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This Dress Sale offers an excellent opportunity to secure Dresses and Gowns—it takes place just at the time of year when you may secure the full benefit of them. These Dresses are of last season and the season before production. But the styles are such that with a little alteration here and there they can be made to look very much like the new models of the present season. The materials are Serges, Worsted, Silks, Velvets, etc., all are desirable fabrics. In fact, the materials alone are worth the price we ask for these Dresses. Dresses that were designed by the most clever designers—suitable for street, reception and evening wear. We do not need to say that with these sacrifice prices appended to these garments that you should visit the Ladies' Ready-to-wear Department early today.

Dresses that were \$15.00 to \$25.00, now	\$ 5.85
Dresses that were \$30.00 to \$45.00, now	\$ 9.95
Dresses that were \$50.00 to \$55.00, now	\$14.75
Dresses that were \$65.00 to \$100.00, now	\$19.75



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NITROGLYCERINE USED IN DESTROYING SAFE OF HUTCHINGS INSTITUTE.

Telephone Lineman Climbs Pole to Give Alarm—Over \$1000 Believed to Be Looted.

Dallas, Oct. 17.—Cutting all local and long distance telephone wires and also all telegraph wires, using three charges of nitroglycerine, bank robbers blew the safe of the Citizens' bank at Hutchings about 1:30 o'clock this morning and secured, it is believed, between \$1000 and \$1200 in cash.

The alarm of the robbers was given by Willie Bledsoe, who climbed a telephone pole out from the city limits of Hutchings and used a wire tester to get a line to Dallas. In what way Sheriff Brandenburg was notified but not until nearly 2 o'clock.

The robbers, it is said, left the bank, went to a section house one mile north of the village, boarded a handcar and came towards Dallas. It is believed there were two of the robbers.

Sheriff Brandenburg with deputies Chiles, Strait and Woolsey went to the scene as quickly as possible, but the line of the handcar was gained.

The Hutchings is located ten miles south of Dallas, on the Houston & Texas Central railway. Citizens of the village believe the robbers came to Dallas. Early Thursday morning all police and special officers were put on duty. No arrests have so far been made.

WACO MAN MARRIES

Wedding at Martin of Fred Pfleifer and Miss Helen Gill.

Martin, Tex., Oct. 17.—Miss Helen Gill of Martin and Fred Pfleifer of Waco were married here last evening. The bride is the daughter of Mrs. G. A. Gill of 388 Ward street. She was reared in Martin and was one of the city's most attractive and talented young ladies. The groom is said to be a worthy young business man of Waco.

Increase Capital Stock.

At a meeting of the stockholders of the Lumbermen's Security and Trust company held at the company's office 618-624 Austin yesterday morning, the capital stock of the company was raised by a vote from \$100,000 to \$200,000.

The plan of the corporation is to increase its capital stock \$100,000 every ten months until it is capitalized at \$500,000.

No other business was taken up at the meeting.

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